

DECLARATION

As below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our names;

We believe we are the original, first and sole inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **CARRIER FOR VARIOUS – SIZED ARTICLES OPERATIVELY SUPPORTED BY A VEHICLE**, the specification of which is attached hereto and filed on even date herewith;

We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims;

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information material to the patentability of the claims as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a);

All correspondence shall be sent to inventor Michael G. Vieira, 187 Pleasant Street, Lowell, MA. 01852, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to receive the Letters Patent, and to transact all business in the Patent Office connected therewith; and

All statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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PATENT

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SMALL ENTITY ASSERTION

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Please accept this assertion of small entity status in the above-identified patent application.

Respectfully,



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